

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In re Application of:**

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**Serial No.:** 10/770,890

**Filed:** February 2, 2004

**For:** METHODS FOR FORMING  
ASSEMBLIES AND PACKAGES THAT  
INCLUDE STACKED SEMICONDUCTOR  
DEVICES SEPARATED A DISTANCE  
DEFINED BY ADHESIVE MATERIAL  
INTERPOSED THEREBETWEEN

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**Examiner:** L. Thai

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**COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE**

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Sir:

These Comments follow the Notice of Allowance of September 14, 2007, which was accompanied by an Examiner's Statement of Allowable Subject Matter, and are being filed pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.104(e).

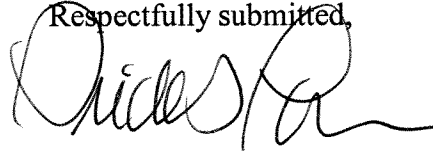
The Examiner's Statement of Allowable Subject Matter provides:

Regarding independent claims 1 and 16, the primary reason for the allowance of the claims is based on the arguments presented by the applicant at pages 8-13 of the Remarks of the amendment filed on 7/10/07.

Since each of claims 2-15 and 17-33, directly or indirectly, depends either on claims 1 or claim 16, they are also allowed.

The scope of each claim is based on its actual language and equivalents thereto. The record of the prosecution of the above-referenced application as a whole makes clear the reasons that the allowed claims are patentable.

Respectfully submitted,

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